

**Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

<b>In the Matter of</b>	)	
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<b>SPARQ TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC.</b>	)	
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<b>Application for authority</b>	)	<b>File No. ITC-214_____</b>
<b>pursuant to Section 214 of the</b>	)	
<b>Communications Act of 1934, as amended</b>	)	
<b>to provide global or limited</b>	)	
<b>resale authority</b>	)	

**APPLICATION**

Sparq Telecommunications, LLC (“SPARQ” or “Applicant”), hereby requests authority, pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 214 (1982), and Section 63.18 of the Federal Communications Commission's (“Commission”) Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18, to provide global or limited resale authority between the United States and international points, except those international points not authorized by the Commission (the “Application”). SPARQ is a U.S. company organized to provide international telecommunications services. SPARQ has no foreign affiliations. SPARQ serves residential and business customers throughout the United States. By granting this application, the Commission will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity by promoting competition in the international services market. Competition will benefit U.S. consumers by increasing service options and lowering prices. Thus, the public interest will be served by the grant of Section 214 authority to SPARQ.

### **SECTION 63.18 INFORMATION**

The following information is submitted, as required by Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules, in support of SPARQ request for authorization:

- (a) The name, address and telephone number of the Applicant is:

SPARQ TELECOMMUNICAITONS, LLC  
2010 NW 98<sup>th</sup> Way  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024  
Tel (954) 864-5200

- (b) SPARQ is a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware.

- (c) Correspondence concerning this application should be sent to:

Michael Gilman  
SPARQ TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC  
2010 NW 98<sup>th</sup> Way  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

with a copy to

Raul Magallanes, Esq.  
The Law Office of Raul Magallanes, PLLC  
P.O. Box 1213,  
Houston, TX 77549

- (d) SPARQ does not currently hold any Section 214 authorizations.
- (e) SPARQ requests global or limited resale Section 214 authority pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(e)(2).
- (f) At this time, SPARQ seeks no other authorization available under Section 63.18(e).
- (g) Not applicable.
- (h) In support of this certification, the name, address, citizenship and principal business of the person(s) that control ten percent or more of SPARQ is as follows:

Michael Gilman  
2010 NW 98<sup>th</sup> Way  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024  
Ownership: 50%  
Citizenship: USA  
Business: Telecommunications

Steven Sosa  
2010 NW 98<sup>th</sup> Way  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024  
Ownership: 50%  
Citizenship: USA  
Business: Telecommunications

- (i) SPARQ certifies that it is not affiliated with any foreign or U.S. facilities-based carrier.
- (j) SPARQ certifies that it does not seek to provide international telecommunications services to any destination country for which any of the following is true:
  - 1. SPARQ is a foreign carrier in that country; or
  - 2. SPARQ controls a foreign carrier in that country; or
  - 3. Any entity that owns more than 25 percent of SPARQ, or that controls SPARQ, controls a foreign carrier in that country.
- (k) No applicable.
- (l) Not applicable.
- (m) Not applicable.
- (n) SPARQ certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier with respect to any U.S. international route where the foreign carrier possesses market power on the foreign end of the route and will not enter into such agreements in the future.
- (o) SPARQ certifies that pursuant to Sections 1.2001 through 1.2003 of the Commission's Rules, no party to this Application has been denied federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.
- (p) SPARQ requests streamline processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules. SPARQ certifies that:
  - 1. It is not affiliated with a foreign carrier in a destination market it seeks authority to serve;
  - 2. It has no affiliation with a dominant U.S. carrier whose international switched or private line services SPARQ seeks authority to resell either directly or indirectly through the resale of another reseller's services;

3. It does not seek authority to provide switched basic services over private lines to a country for which the Commission has not previously authorized the provision of switched services over private lines; and
4. The Commission has not informed SPARQ in writing that this Application is not eligible for streamline processing.

### **CONCLUSION**

In conclusion, SPARQ certifies that all of the information in this Application is accurate and correct. For these reasons, SPARQ respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Application.

Respectfully submitted,

SPARQ TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC

By: /s/ Michael Gilman  
Michael Gilman, Director

Date: April 24, 2009